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AFM Maritime Training with Dutch and Belgian Special Operations Naval Forces

Mariners are informed that from Thursday 5 May 2016 till Saturday 21 May 2016, the Armed Forces of Malta will be hosting a combined military exercise composed of AFM, Dutch and Belgian Special Operations Naval Forces which will be carried out on Maltese territory extending to national territorial waters.

This exercise called TROJAN FOOT PRINT, will consist of practicing drills on/from various beaches by night in the northern part of Malta and also Gozo.

In view of the above, mariners are advised to navigate with caution while in proximity of AFM, Dutch and Belgian FRISCS during the period of the exercise.

Any instructions issued by Valletta Port Control (Valletta VTS) are to be complied with.

Chart Affected: BA 194, 2124